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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

CITY OF FARGO HEALTH TRUST FUND, on
 behalf of itself and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ALZA CORPORATION, a California
 Corporation,

Defendant.

CASE NO. C-05-4684 (JSW)

**STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED]
 ORDER CONTINUING HEARING DATE
 AND CASE MANAGEMENT
 CONFERENCE**

LOCAL 28 SHEET METAL WORKERS, on
behalf of itself and all others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ALZA CORPORATION, a California
Corporation,

Defendant.

CASE NO. C-05-4758 (JSW)

Plaintiff City of Fargo Health Trust Fund, on behalf of itself and all others similarly situated ("City of Fargo"), and Plaintiff Local 28 Sheet Metal Workers, on behalf of itself and all others similarly situated ("Local 28"), and Defendant Alza Corporation ("Alza"), by and through their counsel of record, have met and conferred in good faith regarding the hearing dates for pending motions and the Case Management Conference scheduled with the Court. Defendant Alza filed a Motion to Stay Action Pending Ruling By Multidistrict Litigation Panel ("Motion to Stay") in both of the above-captioned cases on January 27, 2006. The hearing date for the Motion to Stay was set for March 3, 2006. The Court has scheduled a Case Management Conference for March 17, 2006. To accommodate scheduling conflicts of counsel and to minimize the inconvenience to the Court, the parties respectfully request that the Court continue the hearing date for the Motion to Stay and the Case Management Conference ("CMC") until April 7, 2006. THEREFORE, THE PARTIES HEREBY STIPULATE AND AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

1. Motion to Stay. The hearing date on Alza's Motion to Stay, currently set for March 3, 2006, at 9:00 a.m., shall be continued to April 7, 2006, at 9:00 a.m. The briefing schedule for the Motion to Stay shall be reset according to the new hearing date. Plaintiff's opposition to the Motion to Stay, currently due on February 10, 2006, shall now be due on March 17, 2006. Defendant's reply to the Motion to Stay, currently due on February 17, 2006, shall now be due on March 24, 2006.

2. Case Management Conference. The CMC, currently set for March 17, 2006, at 1:30 p.m., shall be continued to April 7, 2006, at 9:00 a.m. (following the hearing on the Motion to Stay). The joint case management statement and proposed order for the CMC, currently due on March 10, 2006, shall now be due on March 31, 2006.

1 Dated: February 9, 2006

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14 Plaintiff's opposition shall be filed by no later than February 24, 2006 and Defendant's reply shall be
15 filed by no later than March 3, 2006.

16 **PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED.**

17 Dated: February 10, 2006


Honorable Jeffrey S. White
United States District Judge